



Case Docket No. 4429-A6CIC3

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Serial No.: 10/758,714) Ex: Watkins III
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Filed: 16 January 2004) Art Unit: 1772
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For: CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL)
CONTAINING EXPANDED)
FLEXIBLE MATERIAL)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application is claimed by applicant
 Design Application, no additional fee required.
 Utility application, fee calculated on table below.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity
TOTAL	9 -	56		X 25 = \$	or X 50 = \$
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MULTIPLE DEPEND CLAIM PRESENTED				X180 = \$	or X360 = \$
				TOTAL	or TOTAL
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Respectfully submitted,

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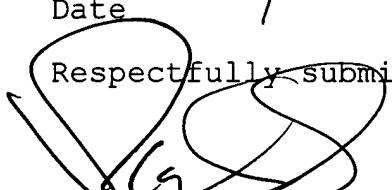
Dear Sir:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 4 January 2006 in the above identified patent application. A shortened statutory period for response was set for 3 months, up to and including 4 April 2006. A petition for a one month extension of time, to and including 4 May 2006, is included herewith.

Claims 13-68 are pending in the application.

Claims 17-30 and 36-68 are withdrawn from consideration.

Claims 13-16, and 31-35 stand rejected.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.